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1. a total of 280 empty refrigerator cars was dispatched to the U.S.S.R. via Frankfurt/Oder in October 1952. 1

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2. the following numbers of loaded refrigerator cars entered East Germany en route from the U.S.S.R. during October:

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Date in October	Number of Cars	Load	Dispatched to
4	4	lard	Berlin
	3	butter	Dresden
	2	"	Ilmenau
	1	"	Brandenburg
	1	"	Frankfurt/Oder
	2	"	Cottbus
	3	"	Chemnitz
	1	"	Goerlitz
	1	"	Bautzen
	2	"	Falkenstein
	4	"	Zwickau
	1	"	Meissen
	4	"	Leipzig
5	6	"	Erfurt
	1	"	Juesterbog
	1	" "	Velten
	8	beef	Berlin

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6	1	beef	Riesa
	1	"	Freiburg
7	2	"	Berlin
	4	lard	"
	5	butter	Leipzig
	5	"	Dresden
8	5	"	Chemnitz
	1	"	Plauen
	2	"	Goerlitz
	2	"	Berlin
	1	wine	Erfurt
	2	"	Magdeburg
	1	"	Berlin
9	1	butter	Frankfurt/Oder
	1	"	Grossraeschen
	5	"	Zwickau
	2	beef	Dessau
11	5	butter	Berlin
	1	"	Bautzen
	1	"	Heidenau
	1	"	Freiberg
	1	"	Falkenstein
	1	"	Riesa
13	2	lard	Dresden
	1	butter	Ebersbach
	1	"	Angermuende
	1	"	Berlin
	1	"	Velten
14	2	lard	Velten
15	2	"	Zwickau
16	2	"	Chemnitz
	1	butter	Brandenburg
	1	"	Falkenstein
17	4	"	Berlin
	2	"	Plauen
	1	"	Bernau
	1	"	Koenigswusterhausen
19	1	"	Fuerstenwalde
	1	"	Berlin
	3	"	Plauen
	1	"	Chemnitz
	3	"	Zwickau
	1	"	Dessau
	1	"	Dresden
	1	"	Leipzig
20	1	"	Mahlow
	1	"	Grossraeschen
	2	"	Leipzig
	1	"	Fuerstenwalde
	1	"	Cottbus

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	1	butter	Goerlitz
	2	"	Dresden
	1	"	Kyritz
	1	"	Strassgraebchen
	1	"	Kamenz
22	1	beef	Bautzen
	1	"	Meissen
	1	"	Stralsund
23	2	"	Berlin
25	5	butter	"
	4	"	Dresden
	2	"	Jueterbog
	1	"	Goerlitz
	1	"	Freiberg
	5	"	Plauen
	10	"	Leipzig
	1	"	Heidenau
	1	"	Zehdenick
	5	"	Chemnitz
	1	"	Cottbus
	1	"	Perleberg
	1	"	Falkenstein
	1	"	Eberswalde
	5	"	Zwickau
26	1	"	Brandenburg
	1	"	Fuerstenwalde
	1	"	Koenigswusterhausen
28	2	"	Weimar
	1	"	Finsterwalde
	1	"	Zwickau
30	5	"	Weimar
	2	"	Berlin
	1	"	Heidenau
	1	"	Grossraeschen
	2	"	Zwickau
31	2	"	Weimar
	2	"	Velten
	3	"	Erfurt 2

1. [redacted] Comment. In September 1952, 303 empty refrigerator cars were dispatched to the U.S.S.R. 25X1

2. [redacted] Comment. Most of the loaded refrigerator cars included in this tabulation were mentioned in previous transportation reports. A total of 216 loaded refrigerator cars entered East Germany as against 379 recorded for the preceding month. This decline in the volume of refrigerator car traffic was probably because of seasonal fluctuations. It could not be determined whether the shipments were for military or civilian consumption. However, the latter appears the more probable. 25X1

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